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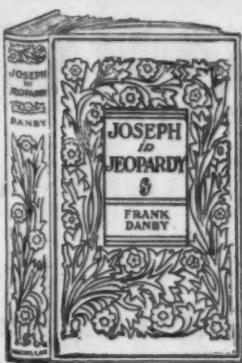
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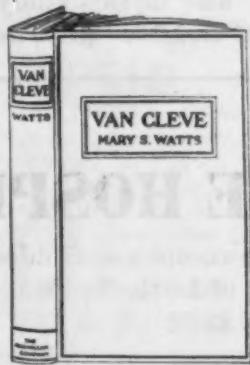
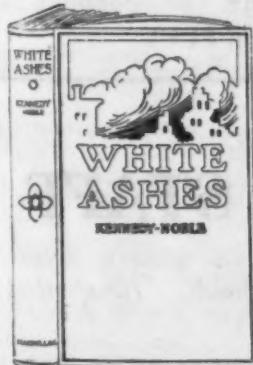
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GETTING THE DEALER'S COOPERATION.

"I DON'T believe in this boosting up the trade all the time, anyway," said a fairly well-known New York publisher, impatiently. "What's the use: they don't push my books; don't take the least interest in them. I sell more by mail direct in a week than the trade take in a month. Booksellers are sheep; they"—

"But they do sell *some* publishers' books," the travelling man he was talking to—not his own—interrupted him; "look at —" and the salesman named a house that has made a reputation for a certain type of "counter-display" fiction.

"Well, look how they advertise," retorted the publisher. His tone was one of disgust.

"Yes," said the salesman simply.

Not a thousand miles from New York the receiving clerk of a well-known bookstore edged into the office of the proprietor, bearing several sets—three or four of a kind—of very elaborately gotten up posters. Without a word he handed them to the "boss." "Well?" said the latter, interrupting his dictation.

"They're from *X and Y*," said the clerk. "They 'hope we can use them.'"

"You know our rule well enough," replied the other shortly. "No posters allowed except originals for window display."

"It does seem a shame, though," said the clerk ruefully, "they say this one here on 'The Winds of Desire' cost them several hundred dollars—finest thing they ever got out'—why the express on these alone was eighty cents."

"But we don't want 'em—we've got a style in this store we're trying to maintain—we can't use posters—we've told all the publishers so time and again—and if *X and Y* have wasted four or five dollars on us when"—he broke off suddenly—"here, see this letter *X and Y* sent me this morning."

The clerk took it; it ran:

"Relying to your favor of the 8th, we regret to say that owing to the large amount we have already expended in advertising 'The Winds of Desire' we cannot see our way clear to coöperate with you in local advertising along the line you suggest. We admit that you best know your local conditions, and the proposition you outline certainly sounds most attractive; but can only repeat that our appropriation for 'The Winds of Desire' is practically exhausted."

"We should, however, be glad to furnish you with any amount of poster or circular material."

"What I suggested would have cost them less than ten dollars," said the proprietor. "With what I was going to put with it I think it would have sold 500 copies of their book." He turned to his dictating; the receiving clerk carried the posters out to the rubbish heap, whence two were later rescued by the store errand boy for private wall decoration.

The following happened in New England during the rounds of the traveller of another firm of New York publishers, who flood the trade with so much circular matter that a mere glance at their name on a third-class mail wrapper consigns the mail in question to the basket unopened. The town was a small town, but it had a bookseller, and one, too, who had the reputation of knowing his business.

"No," said the bookseller, "I can't afford to stock up on this line" [one of "popular" sociological works] "it might not move in a year. You're not advertising it here."

"You can appreciate we can't advertise such a line very heavily," said the publisher's salesman diplomatically. "These aren't popular novels: the margin on them is close. They're live, thoroughly good stuff by the best men in their fields: we're advertising them where we think it will do us the most good—the New York and Boston papers, in the *Outlook*, I believe, and in the professional journals."

"But does that do *me* any good, *here*?" the bookseller was insistent.

"Well, not directly, perhaps," the salesman admitted grudgingly. "But," he started to explain, "you can see for yourself that we couldn't afford to advertise a line like this in *every* small town. Why, even one insertion of a reasonable-sized advertisement in your two or three papers here would cost us ten or fifteen dollars; and the waste circulation"—

"Oh, I know all that," retorted the dealer wearily. Then he added: "Why don't you advertise in my own house organ?"

The salesman was a little surprised, then wary, visions of an advertising "hold-up" in his mind. "I didn't know you had one," he said. "I don't see how you can afford"—

"I can't," replied the bookseller simply: "but I take 250 copies a month of the ——" He named the well-known envelope size imprint magazine.

The salesman hesitated a bit: he had had this same question put up to him shortly before regarding another imprint magazine. "I don't know just why the house doesn't use imprint advertising," he said; "of course it's a give-away thing for one thing, and then," he added, "you know its pretty expensive"—

"Expensive?" The dealer snorted. "My 250 copies reach every real book-buyer in this town and county. I know the rates they ask for advertising in this magazine: one page in it would tell the story of your series in fine shape. And it figures out that this one page in *my* house organ, *reaching all my customers*, would cost you just twenty-five cents! Do you call that *expensive* advertising?"

The salesman didn't have an answer ready; and the bookseller held out to him one of his firm's own circular descriptions of this same series. "What do these cost you to manufacture?" he asked the salesman. "250 of 'em?" "I don't know," replied the latter; "a dollar or two, I suppose."

"And you ask me to put these in envelopes, address them and mail them to my 250 customers at a total expense to me of between three and four dollars more. Why, that's all it costs me to send out 250 whole copies of my magazine. Doesn't it strike you that we would both be wasting money?"

"But the imprint magazine is given away"—the salesman began again, rather weakly.

"Is it any more 'given away' than your circulars are: they're just advertising, and pretty slushy advertising at that, while my little house organ is or tries to be, both readable and independent. No," he went on, "I won't place

an order; but when you get back to New York you better tell your people a few things about coöperating with the dealer instead of doing what you think the dealer ought to want to have you do."

The scene was a bustling city of 50,000 in the Middle West, a railroad and jobbing center for a big stretch of agricultural country. For all its size it boasted but one bookseller, who had for several years worked hard selling lines of wall paper, office supplies and sporting goods for the expensive luxury of losing money selling books.

When, two years ago, booktrade conditions took a change for the better, and possibilities of actual profit emerged, this bookseller was so far heartened as to enlarge his line and stock up for the fall in a way he would have thought suicidal a year or two before. His dependence had always been, however, on the re-bind and non-copyright side of the business and even now, despite his growing optimism, of new books he bought very warily. On but one title did he allow himself to "plunge"—a book of popular biography, which would, he believed, in his particular neighborhood, sell well. It was being very broadly advertised: it was offered at a proper price and discount: he was reckless: he bought 250 copies.

He sold a hundred of them with a rush; then, almost suddenly, the demand dribbled out and practically ceased. He couldn't understand it: light came only when a neighbor dropped in one day.

"Why, there's agents all around," said he, "selling *that* book. A better looking book than yours, too—colored pictures—and just about the same price, or cheaper."

The bookseller investigated: it was true. The publishers of his biography had got out a subscription edition, actually more cheaply made, but superficially more attractive; and their canvassers were undercutting his book in his own trade.

He sat down and wrote the publishers, explaining his predicament. They replied courteously; stated they "could not understand" how the subscription edition, "prepared for an entirely different class of trade," could compete "with the standard edition"; suggested that he should "push the sale of the latter more energetically"; and refused indirectly either to withdraw the subscription edition from his district or "protect" his own lot of the "trade edition."

The bookseller was indignant: he felt he

hadn't been fairly treated. He had maintained the price of the book faithfully even in the face of this subscription competition. Now he cut it to a point that cleaned out the lot at a small loss; practically closed out all the retail book end of his business; and is still more or less "sore," not only against the publishing house directly concerned, but against books and book publishers in general. The trade has lost a store that could have been worked up into a splendid outlet.

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The second brother, John, also adopted printing as a trade; and in 1817, under the style of "J. & J. Harper," the two brothers started in business for themselves, John with special skill as compositor, James, even then known in the trade as an accomplished pressman. Soon after the other two brothers, Joseph Wesley Harper and Fletcher Harper, entered their brothers' business as "boys." The union between these brothers was remarkable. They were known later, when Charles Dickens had made the phrase famous, as the "Cheeryble Brothers." All four were hard-working men. James supervised the mechanical operations; John was the financier and made the purchases; Wesley read proof and conducted the correspondence of the house; Fletcher was in charge of the composing room and gradually assumed control of the literary department.

The brothers all married young. Almost all their enterprises were successful. Within eight years after their establishment they had attained the front rank among American publishers, and theirs was the largest book-manufacturing establishment in the country.

THE MANAGEMENT OF THE FIRM.

From the beginning the affairs of the firm were conducted on the basis of absolute trust and confidence. The brothers had a tacit understanding that each had a veto power, and that nothing should be undertaken in the administration of the business if one of them disapproved. In consequence of the adoption of this principle, the house was never divided, while, at the same time, it has probably been saved from many doubtful enterprises. There was a sort of implied division of labor, but it was a matter of implication only, not of expressed agreement.

How singularly free the firm was from all individual selfishness, and how thoroughly fraternal, is indicated by the fact that for a long time no separate accounts were kept between the brothers, but each one took from the cashier's drawer what he required for his own needs, and the rest remained a common fund. As their various families increased, however, individual accounts became necessary; but it was not until ten years before the death of James Harper, in 1869, that they were kept distinct. Up to that time each brother was ignorant as to how much money the other three drew from the concern.

The same simplicity of management appeared in other things. Later, for instance, Mr. Harper says:

For a great many years their bookkeeping was conducted on the principle of single entry, but about 1857 William H. Demarest, who had been their cashier for a number of years, and who continued to hold this position until the break in his health, twenty years later, prevailed upon them to adopt the system of double entry, which they were reluctant to do, but finally yielded to his persuasion. He used to relate with a great deal of gusto that one morning, after John Harper had opened his mail and passed out the cash from the letters for record, the money was found twenty-five cents short. He reported the matter to John Harper, who, in a laughing way, turned to his brothers and said: "Demarest is making a great ado because I took twenty-five cents from the mail and gave it to a beggar." Demarest thought this was quite a tribute to the usefulness of the new system.

Endowed with an earnest and genuine love of knowledge, their publishing ideals from the first were high, and they set out definitely to bring good reading to this country. Their first books showed their trend: school books, encyclopedias and editions of the Bible, and such works as Milman's "History of the Jews," Chamber's "Natural History of Creation," and many other books rated as "radical" and "disturbing" in those days were brought out by the new house. When these books began to be successful the absence of a copyright law was keenly felt, but from the beginning the Harpers made themselves an enviable reputation abroad by the generosity of their business arrangements with foreign authors. Inasmuch, however, as the first publisher out with a book had the market, some remarkable feats of quick book manufacturing are recorded. Fletcher Harper, for instance, worked three days and nights on Scott's "Peril of the Peak," after receiving the copy from the packet which brought it across.

THE HARPER HOUSE AND COPYRIGHT.

The first letter to the firm on the subject of international copyright was from President Millard Fillmore, and reads:

WASHINGTON, August 9, 1852.

MESSRS. HARPER & BROTHERS:

GENTLEMEN: It has become my duty to consider the propriety of negotiating an international copyright treaty with England, and knowing you must have given some attention to the subject, I shall be happy to have your views, and also to receive from you any arguments you may have in your possession, pro and con, affecting the subject.

I am, your obedient servant,

MILLARD FILLMORE.

The firm answered, expressing itself "content to submit our own interests and opinions to whatever action the good of the country may induce you to take."

It must be confessed, however, that from an independent and critical point of view, the chapter on international copyright neither gives adequate mention of the work of other publishers in that cause or a very accurate account of the relations of the Harper house itself thereto. Certainly the leader of the

movement was George P. Putnam; yet, although a pleasant reference is made to George Haven Putnam, the name of Mr. Putnam, Sr., does not occur.

It is misleading to give the impression that the Harpers had taken the lead at any time in the efforts to bring about international copyright, while it is, of course, an error to state that J. W. Harper was at any time chairman of the Executive Committee of the Publishers' Copyright League. Indeed, it is hardly too much to say that up to 1872, the Harpers, despite their honorable treatment of the individual foreign authors with whom they dealt, had really exerted their great authority and influence to head off the international copyright undertakings. Though assenting to the general principle, they would always find sufficient grounds for objecting to any pending measure. In 1872, for example, they were represented on the Publishers' Committee, and gave a *pro forma* approval to the operations in behalf of the bill that was then pending; but were, nevertheless, represented in Washington by counsel, who presented arguments to show why the bill should not be approved by the congressional committee. The chairman of the committee took the ground, very naturally, that as the publishers were not united among themselves in regard to a copyright measure, the committee could not take action. William H. Appleton was selected as chairman of the Executive Committee of the Publishers' Copyright League. He acted also as chairman of the Joint Committee of the authors and publishers when the two committees sat together. Joseph W. Harper took part in many of the meetings, but never took part in any of the expeditions to Washington, on the ground (and in this he was right) that the previous relations of the house to copyright might make his presence in Washington appear inconsistent.

BEFORE THE DAYS OF COPYRIGHT.

Most interesting, however, are Mr. Harper's reminiscences of those days before international copyright. Charles Dickens' first visit to America, for instance, in 1842, had been made primarily in the interests of that movement; but he found our people far from enthusiastic on the subject.

"Trade courtesy" worked well in the main. It was understood that one publisher should submit the work of an author already identified with another house to his first publisher before entering into business relations with him and generally this "trade courtesy" sufficed. Whenever it came to serious misunderstanding as to priority of right between publishers, cases were submitted to arbitration. The book contains details of this long-exercised "trade courtesy," defined in the present volume in the words of Henry Holt.

For remuneration, authors were, of course, at the mercy of their American publishers. Harper & Brothers paid Charles Dickens as much as £1250 for "Great Expectations"; to Thackeray, £480 for "The Virginians"; to Anthony Trollope, £700 for "Sir Harry Hot-

spur"; and George Eliot was paid as high as £1700 for "Middlemarch." The record books of D. Appleton & Co., Charles Scribner's Sons, Houghton Mifflin & Co., J. B. Lippincott & Co., G. P. Putnam's Sons, Henry Holt & Co., Dodd, Mead & Co. and others would show a similar array of facts and figures, and prove that large sums were paid to authors for the privilege of a few days' priority in publication.

THE HARPER MAGAZINES.

The serial publications of the Harpers were the great pride of the original brothers. In June, 1850, *Harper's Magazine* was started, with Henry J. Raymond, afterwards of *New York Times* fame, as managing editor, but under the personal direction of Fletcher Harper. After six months' trial, the magazine had a monthly circulation of more than 50,000 copies, and three years later 150,000 copies were printed per month. Gradually the magazine evolved a distinctive type, with an appeal to the general reader of average intelligence, rather than the highly cultivated few to whom *Blackwood's* was addressed. Among its earliest contributors were "Porte Crayon" (D. H. Strother), whose quaint descriptions of life in the mountains of Virginia were illustrated by his no less quaint pictures; Jacob Abbott, who wrote on scientific subjects; Lever Bulwer, Dickens and Thackeray.

Harper's Weekly, started in 1857, was, like the monthly, a success from the first. Although by policy independent in politics, it has naturally come closely into contact with the stormy times of our history—the Civil War, the Tweed Ring, the Blaine nomination were issues that had prominent place in its pages. George William Curtis, Wilkie Collins, and Stephen A. Douglas were a few of the early contributors to the *Weekly*. It very soon came under the control of George William Curtis, an editor born, whose great gift of always saying the right thing in the right way at the right time is still vividly real to older readers.

Harper's Bazar, a repository of fashion and instruction, was first issued by the house in 1867. Designed as a family magazine for women, it contained from the first number important serials, short stories, domestic essays and poems. "Manners Upon the Road," a series of papers which commenced in the first number and continued weekly for many years, were the work of George William Curtis. They were followed by a series by Thomas Wentworth Higginson, "Women and Men." The magazine was first edited by Miss Booth, and then for many years by Mrs. Sangster.

"HARPER AUTHORS."

The list of those who have done work for the Harper house would include almost every author of note in this country and most of the prominent writers of England. Among these not a few have been closely connected with the history of the firm: Henry Mills Alden, editor of *Harper's Magazine*; William Black, whose "Madcap Violet" appeared as a serial in the *Magazine*; Wilkie Collins,

whose books and serials, as well as short stories, were published by the house; S. S. Conant, editor of *Harper's Weekly*; Charles Dickens, whose works were published by the Harpers, and who contributed to the Harper periodicals; William Dean Howells, first a reader for the house, later editor of the "Editor's Study" of the *Magazine*, and a frequent contributor; William H. Prescott, whose correspondence with Fletcher Harper is printed; Charles Reade, who wrote for the *Magazine*; William M. Thackeray, whose "Henry Esmond" and other works were published by the house; Ruskin, George Eliot, and Mark Twain, an old contributor, who eventually gave the firm exclusive publication of his books.

Conspicuous among the writers of short stories for the *Magazine* have been, besides those already mentioned, Richard Harding Davis, Owen Wister, Thomas A. Janvier, Margaret Deland, Miss Jewett, Mrs. H. P. Spofford, Margaret Sutton Briscoe, Octave Thanet, Edward Everett Hale, Constance Fenimore Woolson, G. W. Cable, Ruth McEnery Stuart and Dinah Maria Mulock.

The correspondence between many of these men of letters and the house is an interesting feature of the present volume. Letters in varied vein are given from writers of such different types as John Kendrick Bangs (for several years managing editor of the *Weekly*); Lafcadio Hearn, Zola, Tourguenieff, and Guy de Maupassant. An amusing extract is given from a letter of Owen Wister, who writes, on finding Howells' words commending his stories printed in the *Weekly*: "Praise of Harper's writer in Harper's journal—no matter how sincere—pooh! Don't be angry now. As well might a mamma assure a rich young man that all her daughters were fascinating."

"HARPER ILLUSTRATORS."

The art of illustrating was not neglected in the Harper periodicals. Edwin A. Abbey, Du Maurier, Alma Tadema and Howard Pyle did work for them. In 1863 Charles Parsons assumed the management of their art department, after which the exclusive employment and training of artists became an important feature of the house. Parsons, "a dear, kindly soul," "was most enthusiastic when he had a satisfactory drawing," and "ever ready to palliate the shortcomings of an unsuccessful candidate." All those in the group around him eventually became famous. C. S. Reinhardt, senior member of staff, in time removed to Paris and became recognized by the best French and English artists. Abbey, of course, achieved a world-wide reputation. J. W. Alexander is now president of the New York Academy of Design. A. B. Frost worked in the office under Parsons' administration, contributing many drawings in his characteristically humorous style to the *Weekly* and *Monthly*. F. V. DuMond, youngest of this group, is now an instructor at the Art Students' League, and held in honorable estimation. Among the many artists who, though working in their own studios, contributed ex-

clusively to the Harper periodicals were Winslow Homer, Augustus Hoppin, Frederic Remington, F. S. Church, Frederick Dielman, R. F. Zogbaum, as well as many of the leading English artists.

THE HARPER REORGANIZATION.

With chapters devoted to such contemporaries as Mark Twain, Bangs, Kipling, Weyman, Henry James, Hardy, Janvier and Margaret Deland, we come to the recent period of Harper Brothers, which saw the end of the original Harper regime.

As is often the case with a history of this type—semi-autobiographical—we are given provokingly little light on phases or periods which it would be most interesting to know more about. Take this very downfall and reorganization of the Harper house—what was the cause of such a decline after a century of such truly brilliant publishing history? Mr. Harper gives the cause in these words, but no details:

I do not feel that the third generation of Harpers should be held responsible for the financial difficulties which necessitated the reorganization of the house in 1900, although it is true that, with the exception of one member of the corporation of the second generation, who remained as president, they were forced to assume that responsibility. There were five Harpers of the second generation who entered the firm in 1869, and of the third generation eleven became associated with the business. While exclusively a family concern, it was customary to treat the young Harpers, as far as possible, alike, paying them liberal salaries, and then leaving them largely to their own devices to display their business capabilities, a policy not always conducive to hard work.

Upon the death or retirement of the members, which amounted to eight in all, capital was withdrawn from the concern without any compensatory addition to the financial resources of the house, and, consequently, the third generation assumed a business financially impaired. The members of the third generation were not ignorant of this condition of affairs, and formal protests were made; but as it became evident that as a family concern it would be impossible to accomplish any substantial improvement, it was concluded, therefore, to turn over the entire property to Col. George Harvey, with full power, for a readjustment.

COLONEL HARVEY.

If the book is disappointingly meagre—twenty-five lines in 690 pages—regarding this, the greatest crisis in the history of the house, it makes excellent amends by devoting a long chapter to Col. Harvey himself, its present head. Mr. Harper says: "The present House of Harper is a monument to Harvey's uncommon gifts of reorganization and re-establishment; and there has not been a move made by him which would not have received the hearty endorsement of the original founders of the house." Although, after a full volume of undiluted praise of the men connected with the house, these words lose somewhat of their strength, one feels, in the light of what he has accomplished, the Harper business has had reason to congratulate itself on the acquisition of Col. Harvey.

The latter's own life has been a strenuous one. Born in Vermont in 1864, he was in newspaper work at fifteen, doing everything from writing editorials to setting type on the

St. Johnsbury *Index*. Even at that age interested in politics, he was at fifteen a delegate to the Democratic State Convention, and during the campaign contributed weekly letters to the *Boston Post*. His rise in the newspaper world from then on was rapid, though gained by the most unremitting kind of hard work. In 1882 he secured a position with the *Springfield Republican*, and the following year went to the *Chicago Daily News*, where within a month he was promoted to be railroad editor at the, to him, munificent salary of \$25 a week. He was then nineteen.

Aged twenty-one, Harvey headed for New York, and applied for work to Pulitzer, who had just bought the *World* and was making a brilliant success with it. Within a year Harvey was made editor of the newly started New Jersey edition of the *World*, made a success of it, dabbled in New Jersey politics, left the *World* to become editor of the Newark *Journal*, and then returned to the *World* as assistant managing editor.

As a lad, Harvey had been physically delicate. At about this time eye strain and over-work forced him to take a vacation. He returned to the managing editorship of the *World*. An amusing incident occurred during a visit of Harvey with Pulitzer, who was then in Beaulieu, France.

The Pulitzers, Arthur Brisbane, Harvey and others were lunching in the open air, when suddenly Mrs. Pulitzer observed to her husband, "Do you realize what day it is?" It was February 16, and thirty years before, on that very day, Pulitzer had left his home in Hungary to seek his fortune, and Harvey was born on the same date. Brisbane exclaimed that it was an evidence of Pulitzer's sagacity that on the day he left home to become the greatest living editor he had prudently arranged to have his managing editor born in Vermont.

Meanwhile, through William C. Whitney, Harvey had become interested in traction affairs; for a while was assistant to Vreeland in the Metropolitan Railroad, and himself built a number of New Jersey trolleys. In 1899 he bought the *North American Review*. Concerning Harvey's taking over the Harper business, however, Mr. Harper gives but this brief passage:

I was introduced to Colonel Harvey in company with my cousin, H. S. Harper, by David A. Munro at a luncheon at the Lawyers' Club, and as a result of that meeting, Harvey soon afterward came to Harper & Brothers as president, accompanied by his very capable lieutenants—F. A. Duneka, F. T. Leigh, and A. D. Chandler.

The bulk of the book forbids consecutive reading, but as a field for most delightful browsing it offers a wealth of publishing and literary reminiscence.

The list of illustrations is meagre only in comparison with the abundance of material the text offers. It includes James, John, Joseph Wesley and Fletcher Harper, John Lothrop Motley, George William Curtis, Henry Mills Alden, still editor of the *Magazine*, who went on duty in 1868; Lew Wallace, Thomas Nast, William Dean Howells, William Black, Edwin A. Abbey, Thomas Hardy, George Du Maurier, Mark Twain and Col. George Harvey.

THE DUTCH BOOK TRADE CLEARING HOUSE.

A REPORT TO THE AMERICAN BOOKSELLERS' ASSOCIATION BY E. EISELE—A UNIQUE INSTITUTION THAT HAS BEEN REMARKABLY SUCCESSFUL—ITS METHODS AND HISTORY.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH A DESIRE EXPRESSED AT THE LAST YEARLY MEETING OF THE AMERICAN BOOKSELLERS' ASSOCIATION IN NEW YORK CITY, I TAKE PLEASURE IN SUBMITTING A REPORT ON THE METHODS AND HISTORY OF THE CLEARING HOUSE AND FORWARDING AGENCY, WHICH IS RUN BY THE DUTCH BOOKSELLERS IN AMSTERDAM, UNDER THE NAME "BESTELHUIS VAN DEN BOEKHANDEL."

Owing to the great amount of detail work connected especially with the retail part of the book trade, and the relatively small profit, comparatively speaking, which is left the world over to the retailer, there has always been shown a tendency to reduce the cost of securing the merchandise to a minimum, especially in those countries where the publishing trade is centralized in a few large cities. In Germany, for instance, where the publishing trade is mainly centralized in three big cities—Leipzig, Berlin and Stuttgart—there is a proviso that all goods sold by the publishers have to be delivered free to the house of an agent at Leipzig. The custom has been established, therefore, that every retailer has his agent at Leipzig to whom he addresses all his orders for the different publishers *en bloc*, and the latter takes care that the orders are collected from the agents of the respective publishers.

Somewhat the same system has been effected by the Dutch booksellers, only, instead of being a private enterprise, the latter is in the hands of the "Dutch Association for the Advancement of the Conditions of the Book Trade." It has become such a powerful organization that its existence is vital to the book trade of that country.

The following notes are taken from the report which Mr. K. Groesbeek of Amsterdam submitted to the International Publishers' Congress at Amsterdam in July, 1910:

In 1868 the members of the Dutch Booksellers' Association appointed a commission from amongst their members to formulate a plan for the amelioration of order deliveries in the book trade. In its report that commission advised the bringing together of all delivery business at one point, under one administration and in one office, under the authority of one manager. This office was to be the property of the book trade association, or of a large number of interested people, with a manager responsible for his acts to a commission selected by the association.

The report of the commission was accepted and the clearing house was founded in 1870 by a company with a capital of \$12,500, divided into 125 shares of \$100 each. The company was to run for thirty years, and provided that every share could be retired at will at the rate of \$120 each. In other words, after thirty years of service, the clearing house

was to become absolutely the property of the association. A 4 per cent. interest guarantee was given to the shareholders in the interim. After a few years of preliminary arrangements, a delay necessitated by the antagonism created by a few firms, who had made a business of representing the various retail dealers, the Clearing House actually started work on the 1st of January, 1874.

In the nearly forty years since the House was established, the original capital has been entirely retired; a mortgage of \$12,000 has been paid and an indemnity of \$4,800 paid to the houses who gave up their commission business. There has been further established an adequate pension and sickness fund for the employees of the house. From 52 firms which used the Clearing House in 1874, the number has gone up to 1696 firms that use it now. The tremendous amount of 6,078,897 kilograms (7000 tons) of merchandise was handled last year, of which about 25 per cent. went to firms in Amsterdam, and 75 per cent. to firms outside. The expense connected with the handling of these goods was 29,202 gulden (about \$12,000); for salaries about \$3,200; for packing material about \$3200. The income from the shipments made, and which has been borne by the 1700 firms, has been nearly 50,000 gulden, or \$20,000. The shipments are handled by one manager (who was most courteous in allowing me to examine all the details of the house on my last visit to Amsterdam), three clerks, and twenty-eight workmen, who, most of the time, are used in packing the goods or delivering the same to the different firms in Amsterdam. The system is working to such perfection now, that there is no check whatever, necessary or made, outside of the weighing of the packages. The average shipment is one thousand packages of the weight of about 20,000 kilograms (20 tons) a day.

The tariff for the clearing house is very simple and exceedingly low. The members of the Association for the Advancement of the Interest of the Book Trade pay the following charges for every shipment:

An initial charge for each shipment, whether small or large, 7c. in Dutch money, which is \$.028 in American money. Besides, there is charged the following rate for the total weight of the shipments, counted in kilograms, during the year:

(Dutch Money.)					
I @	1,000 kilograms	.15	cts. per	10 kilograms.	
1,001 @	4,000	"	.75	"	100 "
4,001 @	10,000	"	.50	"	100 "
10,001 @	20,000	"	.25	"	100 "
30,001 @	50,000	"	.20	"	100 "
50,001 and more	"	.16½	"	100	"

This, by long experience, has been found the most just remuneration for the services.

Amsterdam members of the association get a reduction of 50% on these prices, as their packages are delivered to them open without being repacked or shipped in cases. Dealers who are not members of the association pay an extra 10 per cent. on these prices.

All the shipments have to bear the address

of the final addressee, and have to be delivered free to the Clearing House, which sees that all the packages for the same addressee are packed together without, however, any verification of the contents of each individual package. A small fee is demanded for registry of valuable packages, for which a special receipt is given. Registry can be made whenever desired.

Mr. Groesbeek, in his report, remarks that such clearing houses would be desirable in other countries, and the possibility of making a Clearing House in New York City, as the most important publishing center in this country, does not seem to be too remote. If intelligently handled, the services rendered would be of great benefit to all concerned. The model of the Dutch Clearing House could hardly be improved upon; but American methods might be applied. My idea, if I may make such a suggestion, would be a combination of the German and Dutch systems. As in Amsterdam, a distinction would have to be made between deliveries to New York firms and to dealers out of town.

The New York retail firms would centralize their "pick-up" or stock orders at the Clearing House, which should be centrally located, possibly in the neighborhood of Madison Square, at a certain hour in the morning, say 10 o'clock, which would give ample time to assort the morning mail. At 10 o'clock the representatives of the different publishing houses would call for the orders of all the different retail houses which would thus come to them in one lump, instead of through the many messengers now employed in this service by all the different retail houses in New York. Having all the orders come to him in one batch the clerk of the publishing house can easily and quickly lay out the orders, and within a short time, that is to say, two or three hours, all the orders for all the houses would be ready for delivery to the Clearing House—where they could be called for by the representatives of the retailers. Instead of sending, as is done now by a large number of houses, four to eight messengers in different directions, only one employee would be necessary to bring the orders to the Clearing House and to get the goods when they are delivered by the publishers at the Clearing House. In the afternoon the same thing could be repeated. An extensive use of the telephone by an intelligent switch-board operator, who has some knowledge of the conditions of the book trade in New York, would certainly help to simplify and expedite matters.

The out-of-town dealers, instead of having to use the enclosure services of some good friend in the trade, as they have to do now, would be at liberty to use the services of this Clearing House, and it will come probably cheaper to them, in the long run, than the old way. They will simply write out all their orders to the different publishing houses and send them all *in one letter* to the Clearing House. The latter will take care that the orders are distributed to the representatives of the publishers and that the packages come

in in time for the shipment in the afternoon. With the reductions of telegraph tolls, in night and day letters, it will be possible for the retailer in distant cities to get his merchandise quicker than ever before.

Another important point to consider is that such a Clearing House, under the auspices of both the publishers and retailers of this great country, would aid the consolidation of their interests, and would be of great benefit to the trade. The Dutch example is the best proof of it.

E. EISELE.

THE LACK OF GOOD NEW BOOKS.

THE editorial comment of the PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY last week as to the comparative lack of important books this spring is verified by several publishers. In an interview given by Maynard Dominick, of the Stokes Company to the New York *Sun*, he says:

"There never was such a dearth of good books on the English market as at the present time, and never so many American publishers absolutely hungry for good stuff as this year. Every leading American publishing house either has or has had its representative in London looking for saleable books, and most of them are simply having trouble for their pains."

Herbert F. Jenkins, representing Little, Brown & Co., of Boston, expressed himself in the same vein.

"The spring list of English publishers is absolutely poverty stricken," he said. "It is lacking in any books of any consequence. Usually the spring lists contain books of importance, historically or biographically, but these are entirely missing this year."

"Another thing that has struck me about these spring lists is the decrease in the number of color books, such as geographies or highly illuminated works. On the other hand, there has been a decided increase in books of poetry and drama. More plays and sketches seemed to be published than ever."

"One curious feature of the English publishing world is the number of American books which were successes last fall in the United States that are being put on the English market now. I may mention Carl Hovey's 'Life of Pierpont Morgan,' Mrs. Burton Harrison's 'Reminiscences,' and Miss Mary C. Crawford's work on Goethe. Among the novelists I notice Louis Joseph Vance's books, some by Jack London, Theodore Dreiser, and Henry Sydnor Harrison's 'Qued,' which promises to repeat in England the success it achieved last year in America."

"I think there is a growing desire on the part of English publishers to try out American authors, particularly if they deal with large themes, New York society or matters of international interest. The American novelist dealing with purely local conditions and writing in the vernacular will not have much call in the English market, I believe."

Mr. Dominick, however, contends that, in point of sales, the first-class English author

maintains the foremost position in both the United States and England.

"The success," he said, "of Mrs. Barclay, Robert Hichens, Phillips Oppenheim, Arnold Bennett, W. J. Locke and others, I think justifies this opinion. It is my impression that it is difficult for the general run of American authors to secure a market in England, although books by Robert W. Chambers, Mrs. Deland and Mrs. Wiggin will always receive a cordial welcome. Now and then some phenomenal success will strike the English market from America, as in the case of 'Qued.' But the growing foreign market for American novels, to my mind, lies in Australia. The Australians like the virile, gripping, active style with the melodramatic features which the American writers give to their books."

ENGLISH CATALOGUE—CUMULATED VOLUME.

THE eighth volume of "The English Catalogue of Books" is now ready. It comprises the titles of works published during the five years, 1906-1910, recording over 50,000 books entered under author's names and under subjects or titles—about 110,000 references in all. Particulars of size, price, year of publication and name of publisher are given, and at the end of the volume is a list of names and addresses of publishers of the United Kingdom and principal publishers of the United States and Canada. Telegraphic and cable addresses and telephone numbers have been added when known. The publications of Learned Societies are recorded in an appendix. The volume runs to 1495 pages as against 1328 in the 1901-1905 volume. The trade in this country will be supplied by the office of THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY, the American agents for the work.

THE PATENT DECISION.

ALTHOUGH Representative Littleton and several others have introduced bills looking to a partial reversal of the decision of the Supreme Court in the Henry vs. Dick patent case, it is said that no legislation will be attempted till the question of a rehearing of the case has been decided by the court.

This rehearing has been applied for by the parties defeated, and because the decision was not rendered by a full court, may be granted.

TRADE ASSOCIATIONS.

BOOKSELLERS' LEAGUE.

THE annual meeting of the Booksellers' League was held Wednesday evening last at the Hotel Martinique. After the usual excellent League dinner, President Huebsch called on the first speaker of the evening, Mr. Nijhof, of The Hague, the well-known Dutch bookseller and publisher.

This is by no means Mr. Nijhof's first visit to this country, and in English for which he need have made no apology, he contrasted book-trade conditions here and in Holland.

He spoke particularly of the *Bestelhuis*, or "Book Trade Clearing House," Mr. Eisele's excellent description of which is reprinted elsewhere in this issue of the PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY. He also explained how thoroughly prices are maintained in Holland, and referred to the "ominous Rule 13" of the Dutch booksellers' association* that provides fines, punishments and expulsion for illicit discounting.

Mr. Eisele, of Brentano's, spoke of the "Betterment of Book Store Conditions" in this country, referring continually to German trade practices. He pointed out that in many respects American booksellers were not realizing their opportunities, prefacing his remarks by reading a translation of a circular of the International News Company, which referred forcibly to the indifference displayed by American booksellers in cultivating the sale of books in foreign languages.

Mr. Eisele added that few booksellers made adequate use of the circular material supplied them, and deplored the general absence of complete and accurate follow-up methods of the style of the German "continuations lists." He explained that many German works appeared serially, and that numerous others were year-books, and that of sales of these and similar works the German bookseller kept careful record, soliciting the purchasers each year for re-orders. He added that, so general is this method of keeping trade, that "continuations lists," so-called, are a recognized asset of German bookselling businesses.

He also referred to the German book trade "subscription circulars," printed descriptions of new books of importance provided by the publishers, with blank spaces for subscription signatures appended. These spaces the booksellers and his clerks endeavor diligently to fill by direct canvassing methods similar to those used by our own subscription agents, rather than our booksellers proper. Mr. Eisele said it was not unusual for booksellers, even in small towns, to get in this way one or two hundred subscriptions for important books. All his remarks were suggestive, and were listened to with close attention.

F. Stechert summarized the history of library discounts from 1850 to date, and, although he made no definite suggestions for gaining library business, exhorted the booksellers to refuse the libraries all concessions in discount. He even accused the libraries of looking out for themselves, rather than for the bookseller!

Karl Blacht, of G. P. Putnam's Sons, a newcomer to this country, had something to say of "System in the German Book Trade." He said the Germans sold more books than we did on account of this system, for their stores themselves were far behind ours. He found the average American bookstore more attractive, more comfortable, larger and cleaner than the average foreign bookstore,

* It might be of interest to recall that the PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY, in its issue for October 15, 1910, translated and reprinted in full the net price rules of the booktrade associations not only of Holland, but of all the various European countries.

and said that the German seemed rather to fear that, if he made his store *too* fine, it would scare away trade. He added that the German didn't understand the Anglo-Saxon liking to "browse" in a bookstore, not always with the immediate intention of buying; he thought here the Germans made a mistake. He also referred to the fact that the German bookseller's work is made easier for him by having so much of his stock, fifty per cent. or more, "on sale."

REPORT OF BOARD OF MANAGERS.

The Board of Managers had previously presented the following report for the year:

To the Members of the Booksellers' League:

The Board of Managers beg to submit this, their seventeenth Annual Report, of the condition and work of the League during the past year. Our membership now numbers 243 in good standing, showing a net loss for the year of five members, due to the deaths of two veterans, Cass Richardson and John H. Dingman, and the resignation of three because of change of residence.

The report of our treasurer is as follows:

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1911.....	\$516.31
Received for dues.....	1055.00
Received for extra dinner tickets.....	160.00
Received for one copy "History of the Booksellers' League".....	1.20
	<hr/> \$1732.51

EXPENDITURES.

Six monthly dinners.....	\$1158.11
Printing, postage and miscellaneous.	195.01
Cash now on hand.....	379.39

\$1732.51

While this balance is something over one hundred dollars short of last year's, it is quite ample for our requirements; we want you to know that this decrease is the surest indication that the dinners have been well attended. Your Board of Managers, and particularly Mr. Wessels, chairman of the Entertainment Committee, feel complimented by the large attendance at each gathering, because of their efforts to make every dinner an enjoyable event. Our yearly dues of five dollars were wisely fixed years ago to cover running expenses only, without permitting us to run into debt or to accumulate a dangerously large balance.

Mr. C. E. Bonnell, manager of the Employment Bureau, reports that he has had on file during the year over one hundred names of applicants desiring positions and twenty-five requests only from the trade for help. Our Employment Bureau is a good institution, and we hope every member will endeavor to increase its efficiency.

DINNERS.

We have gathered at six dinners this year. The greatest of these was the May dinner, held jointly with the American Booksellers' Association, which proved a record-breaker for attendance. The Booksellers' League has a special interest in the success of this annual booktrade banquet, because many of our members are also members of the Booksellers' Association, and besides the burden of preparation for this great dinner has fallen largely

to our officers and members—the last one being in charge of our own reliable Mr. Wessels. The benefit derived from this dinner makes every one feel that the extra cost of the ticket is insignificant. After a recess of four months during the summer season we began our fall and winter series of dinners on October 18. Our chief guest that evening was Lawrence Harris. His address, illustrated with stereopticon, conveyed much inside knowledge concerning the inhabitants of Morocco—information not usually found in print. Mr. Willard Huntington Wright, of the Los Angeles *Times*, a visitor, gave an interesting impromptu talk about the prosperity of the booktrade in Los Angeles. Addresses were also made by two of our own members, Mr. Chapman and Mr. Shoemaker. This was our last dinner given at the Aldine Club. When the steward informed us of an advance in price per plate your Board of Managers determined upon a change to the Hotel Martinique, where the remainder of the dinners have been served. Our next dinner was held November 15. The guests of that evening were John B. Sears, last survivor of Brook Farm, who described the simple and congenial life of an experiment too good to succeed in this world, and Dillon Wallace, whose topic was the scarcity of beef, and as a means of reducing the high cost of living suggested that beef-eaters might cultivate an appetite for elk meat. As usual no dinner was given in December, it being one of the busiest months of the booktrade. The January dinner was held on the 17th. Our guests were André Tridon, Herbert G. Stockwell and Ernest Eisele, whose addresses pertaining to the booktrade were particularly interesting and instructive. William Stanley Braithwaite read an original poem. On February 21 the ladies were again given the yearly opportunity to eat, drink and be merry with us, a large number of the fair sex being present—more than was expected considering the bad weather. Among their honored guests were Mrs. A. Growoll and Miss Growoll. Mrs. Frederick Leopold, Jr., entertained with ballad singing, and Mrs. Frederic C. Howe's satirical monologue on anti-suffrage was exceedingly humorous and greatly enjoyed by all. Charles Rann Kennedy read two chapters from the Bible with such dramatic effect as would make the toughest sceptic "sit up and take notice." Mr. Joseph Fels began his address on the single tax issue by hinting that his naphtha soap might be of value in cleansing the morals of the booktrade, and Rupert Hughes, author of "Excuse Me," humorously outlined the history of the drama. This closed our series of social dinners.

A. G. SEILER, Secretary.

The following were elected to the board of managers for the three-years' term: B. W. Huebsch, E. Byrne Hackett, John A. Holden, Henry Hoyns, James Macdonald and E. Eisele. Charles C. Shoemaker, of Philadelphia, was unanimously elected president of the League for the ensuing year. After most cordial votes of thanks to the retiring officers

for their efficient work during the past year, and remarks by the newly elected president, the meeting adjourned.

BOOKSELLERS' ASSOCIATION OF PHILADELPHIA.

THE monthly dinner of the Booksellers' Association of Philadelphia was held at the Franklin Inn Club, Thursday, March 14, and was well attended. The speaker of the evening was Frank H. Green, Professor of English Literature, State Normal School, West Chester, Pa. His subject was "Literary Rambles About Boston," and his interesting talk and inexhaustible fund of stories kept everyone interested from beginning to end.

OBITUARY NOTES.

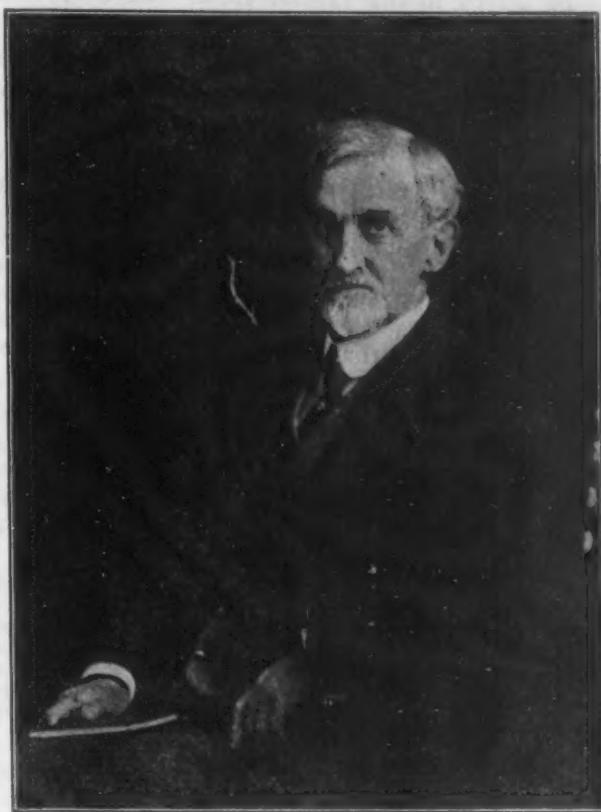
HENRY LEE MASON.

HENRY LEE MASON, head of the house of J. R. Weldin & Co., of Pittsburgh, died suddenly in that city on Saturday, March 15. He was stricken with paralysis in the morning and passed away the evening of the same day. Mr. Mason, who was born in Pittsburgh, was for sixty years closely associated with the well-known firm of J. R. Weldin & Co. In March, 1852, the business started by his uncle, Josiah R. Weldin, at 63 Wood Street, a small concern, with but three employees. By 1860 their expanding trade required larger quarters, and they moved to 101 Wood Street. In 1866, Mr. Mason purchased a half interest in the firm, and when Mr. Weldin died, in 1872, he became the sole proprietor. During the past forty years, J. R. Weldin & Co. have always maintained their high standing in the trade, buying out at different times several other Pittsburgh concerns, and thus adding to their importance as one of the "institutions" of Pittsburgh.

Although J. R. Weldin & Co. have had long years of continuous success, Mr. Mason passed through several severe trials. In January, 1889, a terrific cyclone struck the unfinished seven-story building in the rear, forcing the walls over on the Weldin establishment and completely wrecking it, as well as several adjoining buildings. Sixteen persons were killed, two of them were his employees. While rebuilding after the destruction caused by the cyclone, temporary quarters were secured for the retail department in Diamond Street, and for the wholesale department in Second Avenue. On March 11, 1891, just two years after the first disaster, the store was completely destroyed by fire, but with undaunted courage he immediately opened up nearby in Diamond Street until the old quarters in Wood Street were rebuilt and ready for occupancy. By July the business was back at its old stand—99 and 101 Wood Street (its present location)—although the numbers in late years have been changed to 429 and 431 Wood Street.

Mr. Mason was actively interested in church and philanthropic work in Pittsburgh. He

was a quiet man in manner, almost diffident, yet his many lovable qualities made him many warm friends in the trade. His only son, H.



HENRY LEE MASON

of J. R. Weldin & Co., Pittsburgh.

Lee Mason, Jr., who has been associated with his father for many years, will continue the business.

ERNEST JARROLD, known to the public under his pen name of "Mickey Finn," writer of tales of homely folk in the tenements, stories of New York life in Bohemia, author of travel sketches in Ireland, for eighteen years a contributor to the columns of the New York *Sun*, died, Tuesday, at Amityville, L. I., of pneumonia. He was born in Essex, England, in 1850, and came to America with his parents, who settled in Rondout, N. Y., was educated in the public schools of that city and studied music. Then he moved to New York, and made a plucky struggle against hardships before his writings won recognition.

ALBERT FLANAGAN, president of the A. Flanagan Co. of Chicago, died suddenly of heart disease on a railroad train at Fort Wayne, Ind., on March 15th. Mr. Flanagan, for more than twenty years, was engaged in the school book and kindergarten supply business in Chicago. He built up an important publishing list devoted largely to educational books of a popular supplementary character.

Ex-Gov. JOHN F. HILL, of Maine, acting chairman of the Republican National Committee, and since 1879 a member of the firm of Vickery & Hill, periodical publishers, died at Boston, March 16.

PERIODICAL NOTES.

ANOTHER paper, it is rumored, is shortly to be added to the Hearst chain—the *Cincinnati Enquirer*.

THE *Review of Reviews* have leased two floors at 30 Irving Place, New York City. They are moving from Astor Place, where they have been for twenty years.

LOUIS USTEIN, perhaps the most important newspaper proprietor in Germany, owner of a string of daily and weekly papers there, arrived in this country last week. He stated he believed there was nothing in the art of printing newspapers that was not known in Germany, but that he was interested to see how we did things here.

THE report of the Butterick Co., publishers of the *Delineator* and six other magazines, for 1911, shows profits of \$739,416, as compared with \$645,816 the previous year. The following figures are shown in comparison with past years:

Year—	Profits.	Divs. paid.
1911	\$739,416	\$439,416
1910	645,816	438,025
1909	473,357	287,730
1908	341,546	180,000
1906	360,511	480,000
1902	726,898	300,000

The profits of the Ridgeway Company, publishers of *Everybody's*, *Adventure*, etc., for 1911 were \$91,922, as against \$126,431 a year ago, out of which dividends of \$50,000 were paid, compared with \$100,000 the previous year.

PERSONAL NOTES.

THE marriage is announced of Charles E. Lauriat, Jr., of Boston, to Miss Marian Isabel Bullard, of West Newton, Mass.

AT an "Open Table" at the National Arts Club, Monday night, John Robert Gregg, the author and publisher, gave some interesting travel experiences.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

A NEW and enlarged edition of "In the Guiana Forest," by James Rodway, will appear shortly under the imprint of A. C. McClurg & Co.

THE CENTURY Co. announces for spring issue a volume by John Muir on "The Yosemite," both a guide-book and a book describing from the viewpoint of a poet and nature-lover the wonders of that region.

"THE MISSION OF VICTORIA WILHELMINA," the story of the temptation of a young girl who comes to New York from her native village, by a new writer, Jeanne Bartholow Magoun, will be published shortly by B. W. Huebsch.

"SOCIALISM AND THE GREAT STATE; ESSAYS IN CONSTRUCTION," announced for April publication by the Harpers, is a broad survey of socialism by a number of prominent writers: H. G. Wells, Lady Warwick, Sir E. Ray Lan-

kester, Cicely Hamilton, Herbert Trench and others.

THE publication of Madame Montessori's own book on her revolutionary system of primary education, promised for March by the Stokes Company, has been put off till April, because Dr. Montessori has been sending over new material as the fruit of her experiments during the present school year.

THIS spring will see L. W. Page's "Roads, Paths and Bridges" added to the Sturgis & Walton Co.'s *Young Farmer's Practical Library*. Mr. Page is Chief of the Office of Public Roads, U. S. Department of Agriculture, naturally an expert in questions regarding the laying out of roads and paths and the making of bridges.

A. C. BENSON's latest work, "The Child of the Dawn," which the Putnams will publish early in April, is an allegory or fantasy dealing with the hope of immortality. The author does not attempt any philosophical or ontological exposition, but deals with the subject imaginatively, seeking, as he says, "to translate hopes into visions."

THE modern social game is the theme of the latest Bobbs-Merrill novel, "A Man and His Money," by Frederic S. Isham, and its hero, a young man who gives up his millions in order to start again at the bottom. On the upward climb he is beset by many adventures, outwitting, as the menial dog-valet of a charming lady, a Russian prince who attempts to outmatch him in the game of love and war.

HOUGHTON MIFFLIN Co. publish the following books to-day: "Lost Farm Camp," a romance of the Maine woods, by Harry Herbert Knibbs; a study of "Lee the American," by Gamaliel Bradford, Jr.; "Miss John Bull," written and illustrated by Yoshio Markino; a study of "Freight Classification," by J. F. Strombeck; and "Le Morte Arthur," edited by Samuel B. Hemingway of Yale University, in the *Riverside Literature Series*.

LILIAN WHITING, author of "The Brownings: Their Life and Art," has been invited by the Browning Centenary Celebration to join the committee of some fifty representative men and women "who understand the greatness of the world's debt to the genius of Browning," for the meeting to be held in London, in Westminster Abbey, on the centenary day, May 7. Lord Crewe will preside, and among the speakers expected are the Archbishop of Canterbury, Prof. Edward Dowden, Sir Oliver Lodge, Arthur C. Benson, William Watson, and the Bishop of Ripon.

IT was lucky that "Cap'n Joe's Sister" was at hand to keep in order that dear old Maine captain who is the hero of Alice Louise Lee's latest novel. Without her the mail packet run by her sentimental, forgetful brother might have come to grief on several occasions. The story of the fortunes of these two, and especially the crisis in their lives when the summer boarders of Muskegus Island sign a petition for a new mail packet and a new captain, is

like Miss Lee's previous novel, "Ma Staples and Her Boys," full of good salt atmosphere, humor and no little excitement. It is published by Stokes.

DOUBLEDAY, PAGE & CO. announce an additional list of books to be published this spring, including "The Real Mrs. Holyer," by Frances Channon; "Pleasures and Palaces," the story of the first attempt of a sophisticated young woman to engineer the mysteries of the kitchen, and what came of it; "William the Silent," by J. C. Squire; "One Look Back," reminiscences of George William Erskine Russell; "The Life of David C. Broderick," by Jeremiah Lynch; and new editions of "Ways and Days Out of London," by Ada Rodman DeMilt, and "The Story of Burnt Njal," by Sir George Webbe Dasent.

Two books on topics of great current importance—"Criminal Responsibility and Social Constraint" and "Suggestion and Psychotherapy"—are published by the Scribners today. The first, by the late Dr. Ray Madding McConnell of Harvard University, is divided into three parts: "The Aim of Punishment," "Freedom in Crime," and "Responsibility for Crime." In the second the noted New York neurologist, Dr. George W. Jacoby, popularizes for the intelligent layman a subject as intricate as it is important. He asserts "the influence of the mind in the causation and cure of disease"; but his conclusions with regard to this influence are based purely on scientific facts.

TO-DAY Dodd, Mead & Company have ready "The Mystery of the Boule Cabinet," a detective story by Burton E. Stevenson, who made a reputation some years ago with his "Marathon Mystery" and "The Holladay Case." Also promised for to-day are "The Green Vase," by William R. Castle, Jr.; S. Macnaughtan's novel of English country life, "Peter and Jane"; "The House of Dornell," a volume of essays by Fergus Graham; "A Book of Prayers," by Samuel McComb, co-author of "Religion and Medicine"; and "Children of the Resurrection," a devotional book by Ian Maclaren, author of "The Bonnie Briar Bush." This last named book was ready to be published at the time of the author's death, but was postponed.

ON March 22d and 23d Henry Holt & Company issued some sixteen books for general readers, including Richard Straus' "The Prison Without a Wall"; Miss R. Macaulay's "Views and Vagabonds," a genial satire on "Socialism" and "The Poor," with, as its protagonist, an educated Englishman who, through a sense of duty, has become a blacksmith and married a working-girl; "Patriotic Plays and Pageants for Young People," by Constance D'Arcy Mackay; "Beyond War: A Chapter in the Natural History of Man," by Professor Vernon L. Kellogg, a biological argument for peace; three new volumes in the "Grant Allen Historical Guides," and a seventh edition of "Venice," and nine new volumes in the Home University Library.

FOLLOWING the example of the Holts and some other publishers, the Macmillan house have just put on the market a similar series of popular-priced works of serious merit, under the title of *The Macmillan Standard Library*. It is proposed to include in this "library" only those books which have stood the test of public opinion. All the fields of knowledge will be represented—literature, religion, biography, history, politics, art, economics, sports, sociology and *belles lettres*. *The Macmillan Standard Library* has no fixed bounds. Though selling for but fifty cents each, the books are to be made outwardly as attractive as possible. The binding is substantial, and the dark blue cloth not only pleasing, but serviceable. The books so far included are Archibald Cary Coolidge's "The United States as a World Power"; L. A. Sherman's "What Is Shakespeare?"; Robert Hunter's "Socialists at Work"; and Henry Churchill King's "Rational Living." Those forthcoming include Dr. Shailer Mathews' "The Gospel and the Modern Man"; Thorstein B. Veblen's "Theory of the Leisure Class"; Arnold Haultain's "The Mystery of Golf"; Jacob Riis' "Theodore Roosevelt"; Herbert Croly's "The Promise of American Life"; and Jack London's "Revolution, and Other Essays."

BUSINESS NOTES.

ALBANY, N. Y.—Frederick Brothers (George H. and J. Edward), law booksellers, now at 114 State Street, have just purchased 3 Pine Street. Their present quarters have become too small to care for their rapidly growing business, and they are compelled to move. Their new business home is a well-built and substantial three-story and basement residence, which will be occupied, in part, by the firm, the first floor as business offices and the basement for the storage of books, of which they have a large and constantly growing stock. The location, one door from the City Hall, and in close proximity to the State House and to the prospective new county court house, which later is to be erected on the site of the present High School, is regarded as ideal from their purposes. The new owners will take possession on or before the first of May next. Frederick Brothers served a long apprenticeship with Banks & Brothers, and late with Banks & Company, severing that connection nearly six years ago to start in business for themselves.

DALLAS, TEX.—The Dallas Book Company has succeeded the Metropolitan Book Company, 344 Main Street.

ELWOOD, IND.—Bert E. Sneed & Company are successors to F. L. Saylor, drugs, books and stationery.

MOUNT CARMEL, ILL.—C. A. Martin has opened a book and drug store on his own account.

NEW YORK CITY.—The Brunswick Book Co. have just opened a bookstore at 543-545 Fifth Avenue.

NEW YORK CITY.—Sherwoods, Inc., have added a book auction feature to their business at 144 Fulton Street. On Wednesday last, at noon, Mr. Sherwood sold to bidders a small collection of books of the late D. G. Major.

ONTARIO, ORE.—G. S. Watson, formerly in business at St. Anthony, Idaho, has purchased the Ontario Pharmacy of H. Withecombe, and added a selection of books to his stock.

PETERSBURG, VA.—Roper, Hutt & Co. has been incorporated, to deal in books and stationery. Maximum capital, \$25,000. President, W. N. Roper; vice-president, Bartlett Roper, Jr.; and secretary and treasurer, W. N. Hutt.

PRairie CITY, IOWA.—O. W. Draper and Homer Cowman have formed a partnership and purchased the book and stationery business of Len May.

SANDWICH, ILL.—E. Hoffman & Son have purchased the book, news and stationery stock of J. R. Gage.

VISITING BUYERS—NEW YORK CITY.

FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 20, 1912.

P. M. Cassidy, from Milford, Conn.
S. M. Mead, from Greenwich, Conn.

Charles R. W. Vient, representing Arthur Letts of Los Angeles, left the Hotel Breslin, March 21.

L. A. Keating, of the American Baptist Pub. Soc., Philadelphia.

W. J. Scott, representing T. Eaton Company of Winnipeg, Canada, is at the Belmont Hotel.

Mr. Johnson, representing F. M. Joslin & Co., Malden, Mass.

Arthur W. Peace, representing Shepard Co., Providence, R. I.

AUCTION SALES.

MARCH 22, 8:15 P.M.—Modern etchings, engravings and mezzotints in colors from collections of Edward C. O'Reilly of New York City. (No. 948, 141 lots.)—Anderson.

MARCH 26 and 27, 2:30 P.M.—Catalogue of the library of the late John U. Fraley of New York City. (No. 448, 814 lots.)—Merwin-Clayton.

MARCH 27, 28 and 29, 2:30 P.M.—Library of Charles R. Adams of Milwaukee, with some additions. (No. 950, 1185 lots.)—Anderson.

MARCH 28.—Private papers of Wm. Meade, Protestant Episcopal Bishop of Virginia, comprising much valuable historic matter. Rare Confederate items, book with Washington's autograph, old New York views, etc.—Geo. H. Richmond Literature Co.

MARCH 29, 10:30 A.M., 2:30 P.M.—Library of the late Russel Raymond of New York City. (No. 449, 692 lots.)—Merwin-Clayton.

APRIL 1 and 2, 2:30 P.M.—Library of the late Wm. Hepburn Russell of New York City. Collection including history, political economy, industry, etc.; also private collection of rare

Lincolniana. (No. 450, 630 lots.)—Merwin-Clayton.

APRIL 4, 10 A.M., 2:30 and 7:30 P.M.—Private library of the late Thos. J. Van Alstyne of Albany, N. Y., with a few additions, comprising historical books, etc.—Harry Simmons.

APRIL 5.—The library of the late Theron E. Parsons, colonel U. S. A., chiefly Americana, including scarce New York, Indian, Civil War and other valuable books, autographs, etc.—Geo. H. Richmond Literature Co.

APRIL 11.—The library of the late Capt. I. W. Maclay of Yonkers. Rare Americana, books on the Indians, Lincolniana, New York City, choice autographs, etc.—Geo. H. Richmond Literature Co.

BIBLIOGRAPHIC NOTES.

THE BOSTON BOOK COMPANY sends us "Abbreviations and Technical Terms used in Book Catalogs and in Bibliographies," by Frank K. Walter, vice-director of the New York State Library School. The list is an expansion of Miss Mary Medlicott's "Abbreviations in Book Catalogues," issued first in 1906 as a pamphlet. It has now far outgrown the original list, and has become quite an independent production. The list is only a list of terms in actual use, good, bad or indifferent, and not a code of forms recommended for use. It includes English, French, German, Danish, Norwegian, Dutch, Italian, Latin, Spanish, Swedish terms, and a brief list of places of publication.

CATALOGUES OF NEW AND SECOND-HAND BOOKS.

Joseph Baer & Co., Frankfurt a.M., Hochstrasse, 6, Periodicals, magazines, translations and publications of scientific societies. (No. 599, 1716 titles.)

F. A. Brockhaus, Leipzig, Querstrasse 16, Monthly list of important new publications of all literatures. (No. 2, 797 titles.)

Brockhaus & Pehrsian, Paris, 5 and 7 Rue des Beaux Arts; Leipzig; Bulletin mensuel des publications nouvelles de la librairie Berger-Levrault à Paris. (Nos. 9-10, 9 titles.)

Dixie Book Shop, New York City, 41 Liberty Street, Books and pamphlets on railroads, canals, finance, etc. (No. 15.)

— Special collection of rare pamphlets and books on railroads. (No. 14.)

Francis Edwards, London, W. Eng., 83 High St., Marylebone, Catalogue of books relating to China and India, etc. (534 titles.)

G. E. Stechert & Co., New York City, 151-155 W. 25th St., Monthly list of new publications in English, French, etc. (February, 384 titles.)

— New publications in English, German, French, etc. (January, 4832 titles.)

Henry Young & Sons, Liverpool, Eng., 12 South Castle St., Catalogue of rare and interesting books, comprising Chaucer's works, etc. (No. 429, 44 titles.)

Weekly Record of New Publications

The entry is transcribed from title page when the book is sent by publisher for record. Books received, unless of minor importance, are given descriptive annotation. Prices are added except when not supplied by publisher or obtainable only on specific request. The abbreviations are usually self-explanatory. c. indicates that the book is copyrighted; if the copyright date differs from the imprint date, the year of copyright is added. Where not specified the binding is cloth.

A colon after initial designates the most usual given name, as: A: Augustus; B: Benjamin; C: Charles; D: David; E: Edward; F: Frederick; G: George; H: Henry; I: Isaac; J: John; L: Louis; N: Nicholas; P: Peter; R: Richard; S: Samuel; T: Thomas; W: William.

Sizes are indicated as follows: F. (folio: over 30 centimeters high); Q. (4to: under 30 cm.); O. (8vo: 25 cm.); D. (12mo: 20 cm.); S. (16mo: 17½ cm.); T. (24mo: 15 cm.); Tl. (32mo: 12½ cm.); Fe. (48mo: 10 cm.). Sq., obl., nar., designate square, oblong, narrow. For books not received sizes are given in Roman numerals, 4^o, 8^o, etc.

Abbott, Anstice. The stolen bridegroom and other East Indian idylls; introd. by G. Smith. N. Y. and Chic., Revell. il. 12°, 75 c. n.

Alexander, Luther Herb. Participial substantives of the —ata type in the Romance languages, with special reference to French. N. Y., Lemcke & B., '12. c. 12+163 p. (2 p. bibl.) O. pap., \$1.25 n.

American Academy of Political and Social Science. China; social and economic conditions. Phil., The Academy, '12. c. 5+229 p. O. (The annals.) pap., \$1.

Angelotti, Marion Polk. The Burgundian; a tale of old France; il. by B. J. Rosenmeyer. N. Y., Century Co., '12. c. 363 p. D. \$1.30 n.

France in time of Charles vi. is the scene. Rosamonde de Barbazan, ambitious, proud and beautiful, dons boy's clothes and establishes a reputation as the best swordsman in Provence. Then, putting aside masquerading, goes to Paris, where she stirs men of all degrees by her beauty. She plays for high stakes, but in the end finds that love not ambition is the only thing worth while.

Barnes, Mary Clark. Early stories and songs for new students of English. N. Y. and Chic., Revell. il. 16°, 60 c. n.

Bennett, Enoch Arnold. The matador of the Five Towns and other stories. N. Y., Doran. c. 420 p. D. \$1.20 n.

Short stories. Contents: The dog; Elixir of youth; Baby's bath; Jock-at-a-venture; Death of Simon Fuge; Matador of the Five Towns; The feud; Lion's share; Silent brothers; Beginning the new year; His worship the goosedriver; The idiot; Nocturne at the Majestic; Mimi; From one generation to another; Murder of the mandarin.

Polite farces for the drawing-room. N. Y., Doran. 97 p. D. bds., \$1 n. Contents: The stepmother; A good woman; Question of sex.

Berle, Adolf A., D.D. The school in the home; talks with parents and teachers on intensive child training. N. Y., Moffat, Yard, '12. c. 210 p. D. \$1 n.

Author is professor of applied Christianity, Tufts College. Contents: Language the instrument of knowledge; Mind fertilization; Questions and answers; Elimination of waste; Harnessing the imagination; Mental self-organization; Breeding intellectual ambition; Pleasures of the mind.

Bjerkens, V., and others. Dynamic meteorology and hydrography. pt. 2, Kinematics. Wash., D. C., Carnegie Inst., '11. 7+175 p. figs. Q. (Carnegie Inst. of Washington publs.) pap., with atlas of 60 charts, \$6.

Bleininger, Alb. Victor. The effect of heat upon clays. Indianapolis, T. A. Randall & Co., '11. c. 59 p. 12°, \$2.

Böhme, Margarete. The department store; a novel of to-day; tr. from the German by Ethel Colburn Mayne. N. Y., Appleton, '12. c. 466 p. D. \$1.30 n.

Story revolves about a great department store, and pictures the lives and fortunes of the vast mass of workers associated with it. Heroine is an orphan, who is first met as a child when the store is started by a friend of her guardian's, and whose career is followed, sometimes in comfort, sometimes in squalor, a poor salesgirl in the store, and finally engaged to the proprietor's son.

Borrow, G: H: Letters of George Borrow to the British and Foreign Bible Society; ed. by T. H. Darlow; published by direction of the Committee. N. Y., Doran, '12. 471 p. 8°, \$3 n.

Bradford, Gamaliel, jr. Lee the American. Bost., Houghton Mifflin, '12. c. 16+324 p. pors. O. \$2.50 n., bxd.

Book is result of exhaustive study of practically all the available records. Beginning with the chapter upon Lee before the war, author deals in succeeding chapters with The great decision; Lee and Davis; Lee and the Confederate government; Lee and his army; Lee in battle; Lee as a general; Lee's social and domestic life; Lee after the war, etc. Index.

Brentwood, Evelyn. Hector Graeme. N. Y., J. Lane, '12. 352 p. D. \$1.25 n.

Picture of military life in India. Hector Graeme is an English officer, given to strange fits of unconsciousness, during which he shows extraordinary psychic powers. He is ambitious and unscrupulous, with the desire but not the ability to become a Napoleon. The lives of two women are ruined by him and he himself is killed in battle.

Brown, Stephen J., ed. A guide to books on Ireland. pt. 1, Prose literature, poetry, music and plays. N. Y., Longmans, '12. 17+371 p. D. \$2 n.

Intended as a guide to all books dealing with Ireland published up to November, 1911. This does not include pamphlets, except a few which have become historic and some others which are still "actual." Books in the Irish language are not included. Descriptive notes are given.

Bury, G. Wyman, ["Abdullah Mansur," pseud.] The Land of Uz. N. Y., Macmillan, '12. 28+354 p. pls. fold. map, O. \$2.75 n.

Southern Arabia, the Land of Uz, is little known to Europeans. Author spent some ten years in intimate association with the people of the country, and here tells of his experiences. Pt. 1 contains brief description of tribes and sultanates in the Aden "Protectorate," from official standpoint, giving some account of England's relations with them. Pt. 2 deals with remoter tribes of the Aden hinterland.

Butler, N: Murray. Why should we change our form of government?; studies in practical politics. N. Y., Scribner, '12. c. 14+159 p. D. 75 c. n.

Addresses are based on a conviction that human history and experience are teaching lessons of permanent significance; that the civil liberty of the individual is at all hazards to be protected by fundamental

law against the attacks of temporary majorities, and that the representative republic erected on the American continent under the Constitution of the United States is a more advanced, a more just, and a wiser form of government than the socialistic and direct democracy which it is now proposed to substitute for it. Index.

Carnegie Institution of Washington. Year book no. 10, 1911. Wash., D. C., Carnegie Inst., '12. 16+296 p. pls. Q. \$1.25; pap., \$1.

Case, Shirley Jackson. The historicity of Jesus; a criticism of the contention that Jesus never lived; a statement of the evidence for His existence, an estimate of His relation to Christianity. Chic., Univ. of Chic. c. 7+352 p. D. \$1.50 n.

Sets forth evidence of the historic reality of Jesus' existence upon earth, surveying the characteristic features of more recent opinion on the subject and examining in detail the views of those who deny His existence. Practical bearing of discussion is indicated by briefly considering Jesus' personal relation to the founding of the Christian movement and His significance for modern religion. Indexes.

Chapman, J. Wilbur, D.D. The personal touch; inspiration for Christian workers. N. Y. and Chic., Revell. 12°, 50 c. n.

Power; "Received ye the Holy Ghost?" N. Y. and Chic., Revell. 16°, bds., 50 c. n.

Clark, H. W. Toward a perfect man. N. Y. and Chic., Revell. 12°, 75 c. n.

Copping, Arth. E. A journalist in the Holy Land; glimpses of Egypt and Palestine; il. by Harold Copping. N. Y. and Chic., Revell, '12. 14+248 p. O. \$2 n.

Informal account of a visit to Egypt and Palestine. It endeavors to recall what the author himself saw and to remind other travellers of their own trips as well as to stir the desire of those that have never been to see these wonderful countries. Index.

Creevey, Mrs. Caroline A. Harper's guide to wild flowers. N. Y., Harper, '12. c. 554 p. il. O. \$1.75 n.

Guide to flowering plants of Atlantic seaboard, New England, the middle States, and to limited extent of southern States. Book gives flowers grouped according to color, habitats of plants, and a flower calendar. Glossary. Index.

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Problem of crime as related to prisons and prison discipline, to administration of criminal law, and to the labors of philanthropists for the prevention of crime and reformation of criminals.

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Tells of the struggles of the hero to carry out his plan for the development of the Hudson's Bay region, in spite of treachery, and of the mystery surrounding a beautiful, cultured girl whom he rescues from kidnappers. The action is swift and adventure follows hard upon adventure to the satisfactory ending.

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ure; Old man who had a large family; Hans and Gretchen; Miracle; Wizard's daughter; White dove; Dreams; Reward of good deeds.

Driver, Canon S. Rolles, and Kirkpatrick, Dean Alex. Fs. The higher criticism; four papers. New ed. N. Y., Doran, '12. 88 p. 12°, 50 c. n.

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This edition of Dr. Paul Dubois's "L'éducation de soi-même" is a new translation, made in 1911 from the latest French edition. It supersedes a translation of the same work, which was published by the Funk & Wagnalls Co. in 1909, under the title "Self-control and how to secure it." For notice, see "Weekly Record," P. W., Apr. 10, '09.

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Critical study of modern European theatre. Contents: Modernity and the dramatist; Influence of Ibsen; Scandinavia: Björnson, Strindberg; Germany: Sudermann, Hauptmann, Wedekind; England: Shaw, Barker, Galsworthy; Austria: Schnitzler, von Hofmannsthal; Russia: Tolstoy and Gorky, Tchekhov; France: Cupus, Brieux; Belgium and Holland: Maeterlinck, Heijermans; Italy: D'Annunzio; Summary; List of plays. Index.

Eggert, Rob. The Log House Club. Phil., Winston, '11. c. 279 p. 12°, \$1.

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Eulalia, Infanta of Spain, Comtesse de Avila. The thread of life; auth. tr. from the original French. N. Y., Duffield, '12. c. 285 p. por. D. \$1.25 n.

Appearance of this book in Spain was prohibited by the author's nephew, King Alfonso. It is a series of essays on the vital topics of the day, in which the Spanish Princess takes so independent and radical a position, especially on the subject of divorce, as judged by Spanish Court standards, that she was threatened with the loss of her titles and the income hitherto granted her by the government.

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Galsworthy, J: The pigeon; a fantasy in three acts. N. Y., Scribner, '12. c. 80 p. D. 60 c. n.

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Hall, Rev. C: Mercer. The little valleys; short devotional considerations for meditation in simple form. N. Y., Longmans, '12. c. 12+137 p. D. 80 c. n.

Author is rector of the Mission Church of the Holy Cross, Kingston, N. Y.

Hamilton, Clarence Grant. Sound and its relation to music. Bost., Ditson. c. 150 p. D. \$1.25.

Author is associate professor of music at Wellesley College.

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Acting professor of English, Vanderbilt University, traces American humor, the most distinguishing characteristic of our nation, as well as literature, back to colonial times, believing that we are indebted to these first comers for it. This volume covers the period from the first settlement to the opening of nineteenth century. Author hopes at some future time to bring the history down to date in two other volumes.

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Simple story of an old father and mother left alone in the big house once full of boys and girls, now out in the world and too full of their own concerns to visit the old people. Then the end brings the joy and satisfaction the two old people have longed for. By author of "Miss 318."

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Kawakami, Kiyoshi K. American-Japanese relations; an inside view of Japan's policies and purposes. N. Y. and Chic., Revell. c. 370 p. O. \$2 n.

Work discussing Japan's policies and aims in Corea and Manchuria, and chiefly her attitude toward this country. The author has been for several years a frequent contributor to leading American periodicals. According to Mr. Kawakami it is this country that is "playing the role of a provocateur."

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Author is assistant professor of education, State University of Iowa. Recognizing that the end of education is the preparation of a child to live in society and that in training teachers this social aspect is neglected in favor of too much individualization, as if the child were an isolated unit, Dr. King has prepared this book presenting a course of instruction, first taking up the broader social relations of the various educational forces and, second, dealing with the internal relations of the school as a social group. Index.

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Professor of philosophy, Kansas State Agricultural College, discusses such subjects as Building a good life; Time to build; Rural home and character development; Country mother and the children; Constructing the country dwelling; Juvenile literature in the farm home; Rural church for the young people; Transformation of the rural school; Farmer and his wife as leaders of the young, etc. Index.

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Author believes, first, that a church has spiritual

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Author is assistant in biology, High School of Commerce, New York.

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Author is of Lincoln's Inn, barrister at law, London. *Contents:* Our lady and her knights; Giants and the gods; Surrebuter Castle; Enemies in the gate; Rescue and ransom; Perils of the market-place; Perpetual quest. Index.

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Author is fellow and Dean of Divinity, St. Mary Magdalen College, Oxford.
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